

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL(for Noncontinuing, Nonprovisional Applications
under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 7189/72156

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Box PATENT APPLICATION)
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks)
ATTENTION: Assistant Commissioner for Patents)
Washington, D.C. 20231)

Sir:)

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R.)
§1.53(b) is the nonprovisional, noncontinuing)
patent application for:)

Title: SELECTION OF INDIVIDUALS FROM A)
POOL OF CANDIDATES IN A)
COMPETITION SYSTEM)

First Named Inventor or Application Identifier:)
Adalberto ANDINO, Jr. et al.)

- ☒ 100 pages of the specification (including claims) are enclosed.
- ☒ 57 sheet(s) of drawings are enclosed. ☐ Formal ☒ Informal
- ☒ An executed Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney naming the actual inventors is enclosed.
- ☐ The names of persons believed to be the actual inventors are set forth in the enclosed unexecuted Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney (§1.41(a) and §1.53(b)).
- ☒ An Assignment of the invention to United Negro College Fund, Inc., and cover sheet are enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the fee for recording the assignment is enclosed.
- ☐ A 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) statement is enclosed where an assignee seeks to take action.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.
- ☐ A Form PTO-1449 is enclosed.
- ☐ _____ References (copies) listed on the Form PTO-1449 are enclosed.
- ☒ A Return Receipt Postcard is enclosed (MPEP §503).

- ☐ Priority of application number _____ filed on _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☐ A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.
- ☐ A Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.
- ☐ A Transmittal Cover Letter for Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.
- ☐ Two (2) Compact Discs are enclosed.
- ☐ A Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission is enclosed.
- ☐ A Computer Readable Copy is enclosed.
- ☐ A Paper Copy (Identical to Computer Copy) is enclosed.
- ☐ A Statement Verifying Identity of above Copies is enclosed.
- ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

Fee Calculation For Claims As Filed

Basic Fee						\$	740.00
Independent Claims	30	-	3	=	27	x	\$ 84.00 = \$ 2,268.00
Total Claims	90	-	20	=	70	x	\$ 18.00 = \$ 1,260.00
Fee for Multiply Dependent Claims						\$ 280.00	\$ 280.00
Total Filing Fee						\$	3,808.00

- ☒ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status, reducing the Filing Fee by half to: \$ 1,904.00
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge \$ \$1,904.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.
- ☐ The payment of the Filing Fee is to be deferred until the Declaration is filed. Do not charge our Deposit Account.
- ☒ A separate written request under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3), which is a general authorization to treat any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for its timely submission as incorporating a petition for an extension of time for the appropriate length of time, is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. This sheet is filed in triplicate.


☐ Also enclosed:

☒ Address all future communications to Customer Number 22242.



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